

January 4, 2026

Hebrews 11:9-10,17-40

Sunday before Nativity of Christ

Matthew 1:1-25

READER SCHEDULE
Sun. Jan. 4 - Wesley Hatch
Sun. Jan. 11 - James Hamer
Sun. Jan. 18- Joseph Yevich
Sun. Jan. 25- Gregory Kuzmenchuk

Sun. Jan. 4 - Divine Liturgy - 9am- Hours - 8:45am
Tue. Jan. 6 - Christmas Eve Holy Supper - 6:30pm
Tue. Jan. 6 - Great Compline and Caroling - 7:30pm
Wed. Jan. 7- Christmas Day - Nativity of our Lord - Divine Liturgy 9:30am
Sun. Jan. 11- Divine Liturgy - 9am- Hours - 8:45am
Sun. Jan. 18 - Divine Liturgy - 9am- Hours - 8:45am
Mon. Jan. 19 - Holy Theophany of Our Lord - Divine Liturgy - 9:30am
with Great Blessing of Water! Please bring water bottles or containers!
It's MLK B-Day so many will be off from work and school!



KONDAK FOR NATIVITY

Today the Virgin gives birth
unto the Transcendent One,
and the earth offers a cave
to the unapproachable One.
Angels and shepherds give glory,
the magi journey with the star.
For unto us a Child is born,
the Pre-Eternal God!

Prayer Corner for the Health of:
Brenda Euler, Paul Domsohn, Erin Bove, Darrell Kinney, Amber Curry, Michael & Dorothy Panaski, Denise Gavin, John Hendershot, Theresa, Margaret Hendershot, Vonda, Diana, Jay, Alicia Winther, Carl, Carolyn Sullivan, Kathy S, Elena, Carl F. Helen Domsohn, Maria F. Nellie Kuzmenchuk, Susan F. Audra Kriston, Betsy Gose, Don T, Elaine, Verdon Taylor Haines, Mariann, Anne Ruczhak, Linda Kozlowski, David Anderson, Minerva Hawa, Rose Dmytryk, Ray Vito, Brandon, Jenny Elmo, Lillian Maskula, Irene Pashesnik, David Vito, John Gbur, Rose Ugolnik, Marcia Mulvaney, Wayne, Darius, Kira Morales, Carol Burke, Michele Ruczhak Mike Pyszczymuka Dalia Rihani

BIRTHDAYS
Jan.6- Rodion Folis
ANNIVERSARIES
None this Week
JANUARY CHARITY
Convent of St. Elizabeth - Etna, California

PARISH BOARD MEETING
Tuesday, Jan. 20 @ 7pm in Church Hall
ANNUAL PARISH MEETING
Sunday, Jan. 25 in the Church Hall Following
Divine Liturgy. Discussion topics should be
given to a Board Member by Jan. 18!

St. Anastasia Sisterhood is sponsoring a
collection for Christmas at our St. Sophia
Seminary -- Box at back of church!
Father Nick will deliver in mid- January!!



St. Anastasia Sisterhood is taking donations
for Christmas Poinsettias. Donations are
Accepted!! Name Cards will be provided to
put name of a loved one on Poinsettias to
remember this Christmas Season. Please
give names to Illaria Steele by Jan. 4!

YEARLY REMINDER:
Please use your weekly envelopes and include
your name for all donations. This will ensure
your donation is applied appropriately.
If you forget your assigned envelope, please
find blank envelopes at back of church for your
convenience. Thanks for your cooperation.

COOKING SESSIONS
Fri. Jan. 9 – 10am - Potato Prep
Sat. Jan. 10 – 8:30am - Potato Pierogi
Fri. Jan. 16 – 3:00pm – Stuffed Cabbage Prep
Sun. Jan. 18 – After Liturgy – Pack Cabbage
Fri. Jan. 30 – 3:00pm Stuffed Cabbage Prep
Sun. Feb. 1 – After Liturgy – Pack Cabbage
Fri. Feb. 6 - 8:00am -- Roll Prep, Bake and Pack

**JOIN US FOR COFFEE HOUR AFTER
LITURGY IN THE CHURCH HALL**

READING ROYALS HOCKEY GAME
Please sign up for our 3rd Annual Reading Royals
Hockey Game Outing Saturday, March 14 at 7pm
\$20 per person on the counter at the back of the
church. Make Checks Payable to: Holy Ghost UOC.
Thanks, Father Nick

ATTENDANCE: December 28 = 23

ABOUT THE CONVENT OF ST. ELIZABETH
The traditional Greek Orthodox Convent was
established in 1984 & supports itself by vestment
making, Icon painting and handiwork. The new
building will house the older Sisters & Kitchen &
Dining Hall. <https://conventofsaintelizabeth.org>
Thank you, Pani Marie



The Sisterhood. Even the Sisters are workers!